

(1) whether their attention has been called to the fact that attachment of salary of officers living beyond the jurisdiction of any civil court is not allowed now in spite of the provisions of order 21 rule 46 of the Civil Procedure Code ;

(2) has any order been issued prohibiting such attachment; if so, when and what is the order ?

Mr. Thomas Manjuran (*Government Advocate and Law Officer*).—(1) and (2) No.

Bridge—Manali river.

258. Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar (*Urakam*).—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(1) whether they have taken any steps to provide a bridge in the Manali river in the Kozhukully village;

(2) if not, the reasons for not taking any steps?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon (*Chief Engineer*).—(1) No.

(2) The work is not so very urgent.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar (*Urakam*).—Do the Government consider it urgent at all?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon (*Chief Engineer*).—The answer is there. "The work is not so very urgent".

Bridge—Attuvai puzha.

259. Mr. R. Viswanathan Chettiar (*Nemmara*).—Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have realised the necessity for constructing a bridge over Attuvai puzha in Nemmara in view of the casualties to human beings and cattle occurring invariably in the monsoon floods?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon (*Chief Engineer*).—The construction of a bridge at the place is desirable. As the Nemmara-Kalchady road sanctioned in the Road Board programme crosses the Nemmara stream at this site, the question of constructing the bridge will be taken up after the road work is completed.

Arappu thodu—widening of.

260. Mr. K. M. Kunhi Moideen (*Kattur*).—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) whether any representation has been received from the people of Edavilanga to widen and deepen that portion of the Arappu thodu lying in the Edavilanga village;

(b) whether Government propose to start that work next year?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon (*Chief Engineer*).—

(a) No

(b) No.

Mr. K. M. Kunhi Moideen (*Kattur*).—Will the Government state whether they have received any representation from the Edavilanga Panchayat?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon (*Chief Engineer*).—I have no information.

Mr. K. M. Kunhi Moideen (*Kattur*).—Apart from the representations of the local people have the Government had any opportunity to look into the matter?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon (*Chief Engineer*).—We have not considered the matter.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim (*Cranganur*).—Will the Hon'ble Member inform the House whether this question was not raised in one of the previous meetings of the Council and whether the Hon'ble Member did not give an assurance that he will bestow his sympathetic consideration?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon (*Chief Engineer*).—The question is with regard to the extension of the Arappu Thodu. That question was not considered by us. The question of improvement was discussed and we have taken the necessary steps for repairing this thodu.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim (*Cranganur*).—May I know whether during the 1109 budget discussion this point was not raised and did not the Hon'ble Member give an assurance then?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon (*Chief Engineer*).—I have not given any assurance with regard to the extension of this Arappu Thodu.

Town Improvement Trusts.

261. Mr. A. Narayana Menon (*Vyttila*).—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) whether they intend constituting Town Improvement Trusts for any towns in the State; if so, for which towns;